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Hon. Andrew L. Carter, Jr. United States District Court Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square, Room 435 New York, NY 10007

December 5, 2014

Re: United States v. Benjamin Durant, S4 12 Cr. 887 (ALC)

Dear Judge Carter:

On November 25, 2014, the Court so ordered the parties' joint proposed pretrial schedule, which required that defendant's expert witness notice be given by today. Mr. Durant is unable to provide expert notice today, and the government has agreed to adjourn this deadline. The parties therefore jointly propose that Mr. Durant will give expert disclosure as required by Rule 16 by December 15, 2014, and that the government will have until December 22, 2014, to file any objection or motion to preclude. The parties request that the Court approve this adjournment.

cc:

HON. ANDREW L. CARTER, JR.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE 12-10-14

Respectfully submitted,

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